HA! HA! HA! THE 2-HEADED MAN SWIMS A RACE WITH HIMSELF_AND THE OTHER FREAKS HAVE FUN! NEXT SUNDAY HUMOROUS SUPPLEMENT

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ALICE BARRETT WAS MURDERED.

So Thinks the Man Who Was Once Engaged to Marry Her.

LIGHTNING DID NOT KILL.

Fire Chief Finds Evidence of a Fire Having Been Set in the Boston Office.

CASH BOOK AS KINDLING.

Former Lover Says She Was of Good Character and Never Spoke of Suicide.

HER ACCOUNTS WERE STRAIGHT.

Proof That She Had Bought a Revolver, Claiming That She Was Going to Use It in Target

Boston, Mass., July 26.-The death o Alice Barrett, bookkeeper for Codman & Codman, brokers, No. 4 Kilby street, is still a mystery. She was not killed by the fiash of lightning which struck the building-that much has been proved. W. L. Codman, senior member of the firm, said to night: "I do not believe that Miss Bar-rett shot herself. I have known her long enough, and know positively that she would do nothing like that. Mind you, however-If it is proved that she committed suicide-I say that if she did so, she was insane. It was discovered to-day that the fire was not caused by the lightning. It began in a closet, and was set by some one. This some one may have been Miss Barrett. To-day in that closet the burned remnants of the cash ledger were found. "This was the cause of the fire," said the Chief of the Fire Department. It was not lightning. Mr. Codman was told of this. He refused to state whether or not the cash book was missing. He said, however: "I have full faith in Mas Barretti's however. I have full faith in Mas Barretti's however. faith in Miss Barrett's honesty. I have no

doubt about her on that point."

This opinion, however, is not shared by all. It was binted to-day by others in the office of Codman & Codman, that there was something wrong. Another thing has turned up. Miss Barrett was engaged to be married, and had recently broken the engagement. Miss Barrett was engaged to



B OSTON is intensely interested in the tragic death of this beautiful young woman. She was a stenographer for brokers on Killy street Alice M. Barrett, Who Died Mysteriously in a Thunder Storm. urdar after a thunderbolt, she was found dead in the office, and it was thought the lightning had killed here. Now it is disclosed that she was shot-

Byrnes in a Bonnet; a

To Allay Her Mother's Fears She Played the Detective, Alone, at Night.

It remained for Metuchen, N. J., to pro-W. H. Foss, of Foss Brothers, embroidery duce a Sherlock Holmes in petticoats, a stampers, at Hamilton place. The engagement was broken about three weeks ago.

Mr. Foss, when seen this morning, refused to give the reason. He saw Miss Board, the hopefulness, the absence of tears. Few faces about the steamship that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line the hopefulness, the absence of tears. Few faces about the steamship that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line the hopefulness, the absence of tears. Few faces about the steamship that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line the hopefulness, the absence of tears. Few faces about the steamship that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line the hopefulness, the absence of tears. Few faces about the steamship that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly," I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly," I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly," I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, "I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly," I do not desire any notories for each line that are not shaking her forefinger warningly, and the steamship that are not shaking Mr. Foss, when seen this morning, refused to give the reason. He saw Miss Barrett last in Felner's lunch room, on Water street, last Monday, and received a letter from her on Wednesday. He will not disclose its contents. He thinks Miss Barrett was murdered. He told the following story:

"I have known Miss Barrett about three

see anyone. The change has gone on for ployed in several of the houses that were robbed. I learned also that a number of

Alone, She Listened.

lezvous of these tramps. I creet up to with feeling; then, though his lips move, the car, and there I listened to what these no words are heard. uspicious, and I heard enough to tell me is audible again. who committed the robberies last Tuesday "Wait a bit," exclaims the artist, "I night. I even heard them planning new must catch him so."

rthur Cramer, rramps, followed.
"I am still working on the case, and am onident that there will soon be more arrests. I have had men shadowing several aspected persons, and they report to me

ARGONAUTS OF '97 SAIL AWAY.

Leave the United States in Quest of Gold on the Klondyke.

400 ON THE MEXICO.

Five Women Take Passage in the Steerage-Their Companions Are Horses.

CASTE LINES SET ASIDE,

Lawyers Talk to Waiters and Poets to Hostlers as the Ship's Lines Are Cast Off.

JOURNAL PROSPECTORS ABOARD.

One of Their First Discoveries Is That Many of the Mexico's Passengers Are Going to the Diggings Without Grub or Money.

Victoria, B. C., July 26 .- "Let us go bove where we may see the crowd. God does not give us many scenes like this,' says Joaquin Miller, and a little later, as we stand on the hurricane deck of the Mexico and face the great throng that lines the shore, the poet is heard murmuring some lines Walt Whitman wrote, "Paces, faces, human faces," one's ear "One night I stole over the fields to a catches distinctly as this remarkable man car on the Lehigh track that was the rengazes and gazes, his kindly eyes glistening

nen were saying. They were entirely un- "Give me faces, human faces," the volc

"Adding my information to that secured The tail figure of the poet looms comby Charles Ayres, the editor of our mandingly above the passengers on the village paper, and that furnished by deck.

the woman who has been helping me, I concluded that I had a good case. I sent Mr. Ayres to the office of Prosecutor John S. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, to give him the results of my investigations, I told him where three suspects could be found, and the arrest of William Insielb, the plumber: I. W. Dobson and Arthur Cramer, ramps, followed.

There is peculiar pathos in the eagerness



TRICKED HER INTO

vue's Insane Ward and

Redress Refused.

Chairman of the Democratic

State Committee Seeks in

Vain to Befriend Her.

It would seem from certain developments

brought forth yesterday that the distin-

guished alienists employed by the city of

New York to care for the unfortunates

committed to the insane pavilion of Belle-

vue Hospital are allowed ten days by law

in which to determine whether or not the

persons committed be sane or insane. And

It would also seem that the law gives the

power to each one of these distinguished

alienists to declare whether the patients shall be examined on the day of commit-

ment or at any time within ten days of the

This remarkable state of affairs was dis-

forth, chairman of the State Democratic

Committee, received a letter from Super-

intendent Murphy, of Bellevue Hospital, in which it was stated that there was con-

fined within the insane pavillon a young woman giving the stage name of Marle Simonle. The letter further assured Col-

onel Danforth that this same young woman

INTERESTED.

DANFORTH

Marie Simonie, Railroaded to Belle-

Marie Simonie, Railroaded to Bellevue as Insane.

WON BY A KICKAPOO.

Miss Lizzic Anderson Elopes with American Horse, Who Tempted Herwith Golden Promises.

American horse, a full-blooded Kickapoo Indian, has been selling his "magic medicine" to the ingenuous but unhealthy inhabitants of Bucks County, Pennsylvania, for the last three weeks. A few days ago

And the limits of the limits o

MOSQUITOES A NATIONAL PEST.

Never Bad as Now.

A PLAGUE. Slap! Spat!

Everywhere You Go.

COSTS MUCH

Summer Resorts at Great

Marie Simonds Held in Belle- WET WEATHER THE CAUSE

At Coney Island, Rockaway, in Brooklyn, All Over Jersey the Same Story of the Plague

How to Gure Mosquito Bites. M OSQUITO bites cause swelling and pain because, in inserting its sharp, tubular lances, the inseexudes a small quantity of acid

This exudation is probably designed to waten the substance to be pierced. or to lubricate the lablae of the pre

The poison is acid, hence its antidote is an alkali. Prompt application of aqua ammonis or spirits of hartshorn to the bitten spot will afford almost instant relief from pain, and effect almost immediate reduction of the swelling.

In lesser degree blearbons and spirits of campuor will prove efficacious. A combination of kerosene crude or refined, and sassafras of used as an unguent, will reduce th inflammation and swelling if the bit

Rubbing the skin with oil of penny-royal, oil of cedar, oil of sassafras, oll of pine-needles-with any of the fragrant essential oils will keep the mosquitoes from biting.

DR. LEIE CONSTABLE,

No. 145 West Forty-third street

warm weather has produced a crop of mos-quitoes the like of which has not been known in years. The plague extends all

that at best he could not live more than two years longer. He is bound for Daw-son City by way of the Chilkoot Pass and camp fires, and for four moons he shall duced. It is Colonel Danforta's users ourse to have her examined speedily. If ourselved in the his breakfast off the mantelpiece."

"The girl's gone back to Pennsylvania with the female will repair to have her examined speedily. If ourselved in the his breakfast off the mantelpiece."

"The girl's gone back to Pennsylvania with that fact demonstrated at once. If she is insane, we desire to give her such carrier to five her feat of carrying 250 eggs as often ourselved in the female will repair the her feat of carrying 250 eggs as often ourselved in the female ourselved in the his sane, as we believe her to her feat of carrying 250 eggs as o